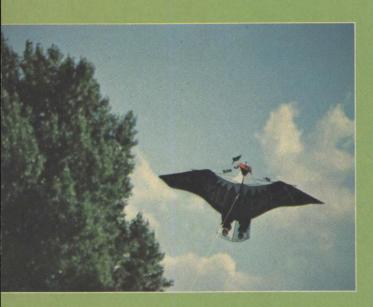
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KITE FLY

The campus of the University of Denver was the scene of the Theta Leadership Conference in June. This 1979 conference called the Colorado Kite Fly featured pledge education as its main emphasis. The conference concept began 12 years ago as an experiment in fraternity programming designed to bring to the chapter presidents in a non-convention year, some of the same experiences as afforded those who attend a Grand Convention. So to Denver came chapter presidents, pledge chairmen, advisers, traveling consultants, resident counselors and any undergraduate member who wished to attend. One chapter, installed just this year, Gamma Zeta, had five members attending.

The conference was planned and presented by the College Committee of Grand Council, but all Council members participated as did representatives of the Kappa Alpha Theta Foundation. District officers, some of them new and becoming acquainted with their district delegates for the first time, arrived at the leadership meeting directly from their own Officers' Conference held at the Beta Iota chapter house in Boulder.

The conference opened with a welcoming speech by Grand President Marie Fitz who explained the purposes of the conference as providing leadership techniques, an opportunity to have fraternity policies explained and a format for delving deeply into chapter programming. The vice-presidents pledge education and pledge advisers were immersed in methods of implementing plans for a successful and meaningful pledge program.

Marie Fitz told the collegians that a good chapter is not one without problems, but one able to recognize and define that problem—and deal with it. She added, "The Fraternity can only provide the blueprint, the ideas, the format. It is going to be up to you to make it all come together for your chapters in the months ahead."



Kathy Trewartha DI

PLEDGESHIP, MAJOR FOCUS OF LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Our goal must be to make certain that each young woman who chooses to join this sister-hood of ours not only has the opportunity to reach her full potential, but will be made to recognize her responsibility to pass this opportunity on to those who come after her.—

Marie Fitz, Grand President



THE YEAR OF THE PLEDGE 1979-80

The quality of pledge education determines the effectiveness of all other chapter programs. With this idea firmly in mind, the chapter delegates and advisory board members present at Leadership Conference were given intensive training in what constitutes a well-planned, thoughtfully presented period of pledgeship.

They were also reminded that certain practices and traditions are not acceptable in preparing pledges for responsible membership. For pledge education involves more than the weekly pledge meetings. It is the sum of all the influences and attitudes to which the pledge is exposed.

Guest speaker, Chuck Loring, National President of Phi Sigma Kappa is a recognized authority on fraternity pledge education. His topic, "What Makes it Work" dealt with the dynamics of leadership in pledge education. He emphasized that the goal of pledge education should be preparation for responsible membership, rather than training pledges to become the chapter's idea of "good pledges." Forget the concept of the well-trained pledge, Chuck Loring told the Conference. "Make sure your pledges are well prepared to be responsible members."

In workshop sessions specific areas of pledge education such as goals and objectives, communication with the pledge adviser and pledge committee, the game plan, big/little sister programs and retreats were conducted by the 1978-79 corps of traveling consultants.





Boulder alumnæ treated those attending Officers' Conference to a cookout on Lookout Mountain.



Rocky Mountain high for traveling consultants atop Lookout Mountain.

The Big Picture of Leadership developed by GVP College, Sue Supple and the College Committee encompassed all facets of fraternity operation and called on all the expertise of fraternity officers, specialists in their fields. The evolution in programming and services within the fraternity meets the needs of today's member. To seize the opportunity for constructive growth, measured beyond the statistics of chapter size, Theta chapters must offer quality programs geared to the personal development of their members. A fraternity means friendship, good times and a concern for the individual. Today's fraternity must also offer opportunity and a worthwhile experience. And that's what leadership training is all about.

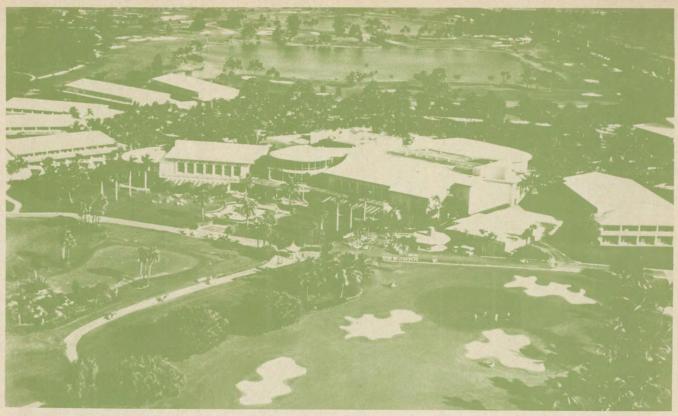
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Ready for the Kite Fly Theta collegians gather on a grassy knoll on University of Denver campus.



Between classes at Denver Leadership Conference.





Aerial view of the main buildings and grounds of the Doral.

Miami Beckons Thetas in 1980

Thetas attending the 54th Grand Convention will have a truly fabulous treat in store for them, for the meeting will be held at the magnificent Doral Hotel and Country Club, Miami, Florida, June 21-26, 1980.

Recipient of the prestigious Mobil Travel Guide's five star rating, Doral is one of only eleven resorts in the nation to be so honored. It is situated on 2,400 beautifully landscaped acres of green hills and clear lakes—eighteen in all—and but a few minutes from Miami International Airport.

Undoubtedly one of the premier sports resorts in the nation, the Doral offers four 18 hole golf courses, a a nine hole par-three, two putting greens (one night lit), driving range, and an unbelievable nineteen tennis courts, nine clay and ten all-weather, plus an Olympic size pool. A unique aspect about the Doral's operation is that there is no charge for golf or tennis.

In conjunction with the above sports facilities, there is the world's largest, most complete golf pro shop as well as a separate and complete tennis pro shop in the tennis complex. And centered in this sports landscape are the most luxurious and sumptuous club house and guest lodges you are likely to find anywhere, conveniently and beautifully located in a circle of buildings around a lake. The Doral's nine lodges contain 660

rooms and suites situated on both sides of the Main Clubhouse and front directly on the golf courses.

Should you tire of the extensive golf, tennis and swimming facilities, you might try fishing. The lakes among the golf courses are stocked with fresh water bass, and tackle is available for rent at the "Fishing Shack" on Dolphin Lake adjacent to the White Golf Course, where bicycles for your use are also located, or try your hand at water skiing and sailing. Complete facilities are offered in the Spa including solaria, sauna rooms, steam rooms, hot packs, whirlpool baths and exercise equipment. The two game rooms located in the Executive Lodge and Lodge 7/8 offer pool and ping pong. And finally, there are areas set aside for basketball, softball and volleyball, with shuffleboard located on the pool deck.

Should you desire to swim in the Atlantic Ocean, the hotel has a 40 passenger bus leaving five times daily for its companion resort in Miami Beach, Doral-on-the-Ocean. There the hotel will provide cabanas at the Cabana Club for Thetas to change into swimming suits. The bus and cabanas will be furnished at no charge.

During the free afternoon, you may wish to take part in one of two tours being offered: A visit to

Vizcaya, the magnificent private home of James Deering of the International Harvester Company and now a Dade County Museum; or perhaps an historical bus tour of Old Miami, Coral Gables and Coconut Grove is for you.

Grand Convention is a time for business but when the gavel taps "adjournment" after each session, the Doral 'has it all" in the way of sports recreation.

We welcome the opportunity to invite you to join us at one of America's premier resorts for Kappa Alpha Theta's 54th Grand Convention. We guarantee it will be an unforgettable experience.

Hattie Damisch and Marion Cobb Convention Managers



Theta Grand Convention manager Hattie Damisch, r., and her assistant Marion Cobb at left shown with local convention committee chairman Polly Trapp.



Olwyn Davies Anderson, r, chairman of the reunion receives warm applause from Hilda McElhenney Griffith, l, and Jayne



Three alumnæ enjoy their return to Austin at the Heritage Luncheon; kite-flying dolls were made by Austin alumnæ.

Seventy five and going strong

by Jean Carter

From all over the country Texas Thetas came back to Austin for the 75th anniversary of Alpha Theta chapter and the District XII Convention. Meeting at the Sheraton-Crest Hotel and the chapter house at the University of Texas, 750 Thetas gathered for celebration, education, and reunion. The weekend was a kaleidoscope of fraternity life: old roommates reunited, new friendships formed; diligent practices for skits with amazingly polished results; serious training sessions by day, parties and hilarious pranks at night; for an alumna, "loving the reliving of my youth," for a collegian, "seeing that there is much more to Theta after graduation."

Olwyn Davies Anderson was chairman of the reunion. Although the idea of hostessing a Diamond Jubilee along with a district convention at first seemed overwhelming, the Austin Alumnæ Chapter was soon working hard and enthusiastically. Besides producing 400 handmade tote bags, 700 name tags, and a myriad of parties and decorations, the Austin Thetas (from many chapters) renewed their fraternity ties and thoroughly enjoyed their preparations for the big event.

The reunion inspired Lucile Moore Garrett to write Seventy-five Years with Alpha Theta, an intriguing story of Theta and the university, other Greek groups, and the community. Olwyn Anderson compiled a scrapbook of early Alpha Theta memorabilia including letters of petition from the founders and a campus survey by Grand President Marian Whipple Garretson who installed the chapter.



A reunited octet from the early 60's thrills their sisters with song and loves doing so!



No joy can compare with that of reunited sisters! This scene was repeated numerous times over the weekend.

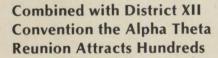
TEXAS EXES RETURN

For many the highlight of the Diamond Jubilee was the class reunion parties, held in the homes of Austin alumnæ. These parties provided the only opportunity for alumnæ to visit with just their classmates, and the time was treasured by all.

Climax of the weekend was the birthday banquet Saturday evening, preceded by a processional. Organizing that many women into an entry march by years had its problems, but the resulting procession was moving and impressive. Silver pansy drops were given to Alpha Thetas attending as a lasting momento of the Diamond Jubilee.

The occasion was marked by the presentation of a unique gift to Alpha Theta chapter, winner of the Founders' Award in 1974. A silver candelabra, donated by District XII as the traveling Founders' Award, had been awarded to Alpha Mu, Missouri, the year Grand Council retired all traveling awards. An Alpha Theta who insists on anonymity, arranged with Alpha Mu to replace the worn and battered candelabra with a new one. She then had the original repaired, and the Founders' Award candelabra was given to Alpha Theta.

For those returning to Alpha Theta it was a renewal of friendships that survive through the years and thousands of miles of separation. The general concensus was, "We can't wait for the 100th!"





Jayne Williams, AO president, accepts the restored Founders' Award candelabra, gift of an anonymous alumna. Mary Arnold presents the gift as Dorothy Heard looks on.



Chan Johnson Driscoll nails up a donation for the Delta Omega chapter house to be built at Texas A & M. while chapter president Ann Radwohl looks on with delight.



Sporting tote-bags sewn by Austin alumnæ are three visitors and Pat Hartfelder, Austin alumnæ president.



Local club applying for affiliation with KAO in "Through the Years" musical.

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Sue Browning Washington



STRAIGHT "A" THETAS

A silver scholarship charm (note pic) was awarded by the fraternity to each Theta whose name is starred, indicating straight "A" for the entire 1977-78 school year. Others made straight "A" for two consecutive terms.

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Mortar Board—Kathy Hinkle, Julie Ritz, Melanie

Alpha Lambda Delta—Christy Crosley, Mallory Donnersberger, Laura Nelson, Cheryl Prifogle, Melanie Swinford

Alpha Mu Gamma—Kathy Hinkle Delta Sigma Pi-Mallory Donnersberger Golden Key-Sue Bowers

Kappa Delta Pi-Pam Buschman Kappa Tau Delta-Susie Fleck Rho Lambda-Joan Bjelland, Susie Fleck, Kathy Hinkle, Yvonne Rambp, Melanie Swinford, Kathy Trewartha Phi Alpha Theta—Pam Buschman Psi Chi-Stephanie Hight

Baylor University

Phi Beta Kappa—Carol Triebel, Hazel Vernon Phi Kappa Phi-Nancy Polk, Molly Wehner

Butler University

Mortar Board—Deb Anderson, Nancy Hamilton Alpha Lambda Delta-Laura Brinson, Ann Siefker, Lisa

Chimes-Deb Anderson, Beth Bain

Kappa Delta Pi-Deb Anderson, Nancy Hamilton, Jeri McClure

Rho Lambda-Beth Bain, Robin Bammer, Nancy Hamilton, Jeri McClure

Sigma Delta Chi-Beth Bain, Cathy Coyle, Liz Halvorson, Cindy Surber

Sigma Rho Delta—Jody Katsanis

Spurs-Karen Briggs, Barb Grothouse, Leslie McCrum, Judy Stauffer, Chris Sundlof, Marcia Webster

University of California—Berkeley

Phi Beta Kappa—Carolyn Kratz

University of California—Los Angeles

Mortar Board-Chick Porter, Carolyn Randall

University of California—Riverside

Phi Beta Kappa—Laura Anderson

University of Cincinnati

Beta Gamma Sigma—Pam Bell, Molly Meaker Alpha Lambda Delta—Debbie Curry, Marianne Scott Junior Women's Honorary—Jill Boston, Debbie Curry, Lori Dibert, Sherri Huber, Kathy Ryan, Pam Bell Pi Chi Epsilon-Pam Bell Who's Who in American Colleges-Joann Satullo

Clemson University

Phi Kappa Phi-Annaclair Lawson, Pamela Roe Mortar Board-Lee McManus, Pamela Roe Alpha Lambda Delta-Leiann Rhodes, Jennifer Sparks, Kimberly Althans, Elizabeth Sattenfield Kappa Delta Pi-Pamela Seebeck, Phyllis Mims

Keramos—Truett Claussen Sigma Theta Tau-Roxanne Wood, Debbie Davis

University of Colorado

Mortar Board-Lynne Jacobsen

Denison University

Phi Beta Kappa—Dana Martin, Becky Brown Mortar Board—Ellen Goodwillie, Lindsay Pence, Kris Poole, Jennifer Walmsley Crossed Keys-Gina Gardner Omicron Delta Epsilon-Dana Martin Omicron Delta Kappa—Kim Fox, Ellen Goodwillis, Lindsay Pence, Jennifer Walmsley Pi Mu Epsilon-Dana Martin

Duke University

Phi Beta Kappa—Monica Briggs, Kathy Carroll, Barb Goetz, Mindy Hall

Chi Epsilon-Barbara Magin

Phi Eta Sigma—Loise Halberstadt, Carol Nelson Pi Tau Sigma—Lisa Franzoni, Barbara Thegza, Debbie St. Clair

Sigma Theta Tau-Lauren Coyne, Virginia Walker

Tau Beta Pi-Barbara Thegze, Lisa Franzoni

Eastern Kentucky University

Phi Kappa Phi—Sandy Isaacs Kappa Delta Pi-Linda McMann Lambda Sigma—Paula Ables, Mary Luersen, Susan Sorrell Who's Who-Sandy Isaacs, Amy Luster

Emory University

Phi Beta Kappa—Ann Dunlap, Celia Gulbenk Mortar Board—Crissy Garrett, Nina Sherman

University of Florida

Mortar Board-Karen Williams Beta Gamma Sigma—Eileen Foley Gamma Sigma Delta—Karen McCormick Omicron Delta Kappa—Karen McCormick, Karen

Order of Omega—Carla Mittwede, Karen McCormick, Karen Williams

Blue Key-Karen Williams

Tau Sigma Delta—Susan Massey

Florida State University

Mortar Board-Caryn Carlson, Laurie Mowbray Gamma Kappa Alpha—Theresa Garelli, Nancy Tatom, Betty Wagoner Rho Lambda—Lisa Green, Mary Grace Hughes, Janet Moyle, Jill Ricke, Robin Ran, Cass Tillis

Sigma Delta Pi-Patty Richards

Sigma Delta Tau-Voni Perry Who's Who-Patty Richards

Fresno State University

Blue Key-Kathryn Busch, Chris Biaera, Carol Chiarelli, Carla Colbern, Beth Ann Parker, Kathy Prater Phi Upsilon Omicron-Karen Perry

University of Georgia

Phi Beta Kappa—Rebecca West

Phi Kappa Phi-Patsy Breedlove, Roxanne Cheek, Amy Jo Griffith, Sallie Humphries, Kathleen Morgan, Karon Sample, Rebecca West

University of Idaho

Phi Eta Sigma—Mary Kries, Joanne Parks, Suzanne McCroskey

Phi Upsilon Omicron—Patty Church, Amy Snyder, Ann

Spurs-Deana Jensen, Mary Kries, Joni Mottern

University of Illinois

Mortar Board-Nancy Maxwell

Indiana University

Phi Beta Kappa—Nancy DeGan, Cris McKee, Beth Theobold, Teresa Weissert Mortar Board-Nancy Swanson, Mary Wood Alpha Lambda Delta-Jane Black, Becky Brown, Elizabeth Earnhart, Patty Ebbinghouse, Judy Pardieck,

Susan Pulliam, Karen Walker

Blue Key-Mary Wood Beta Gamma Sigma—Laurel Lampton, Liz Merrell Omicron Nu-Kathy Walker Theis Sigma Delta Chi-Julie Carey

University of Iowa

Mortar Board—Kimberly Bittner

Iowa State University

Phi Kappa Phi-Cynthia Groff Gamma Gamma -- Dorothy Tapke Kappa Delta Pi-Martha Lagomarcina, Jan Peterson, Dianna Virden Pi Sigma Alpha—Betsy Anderson Phi Eta Sigma—Connie Erickson Psi Chi—Cathy McCreedy

Kansas State University

Joy Swallow, Dawn Zimmer Alpha Lambda Delta-Janice Ahnen, Laurie Gregg Alpha Zeta—Laura Stack, Robin Taggart, Susan Winderlich Delta Psi Kappa—Marlys Schoneweis, Cynthia Wickstrom Kappa Delta Pi-LeAnn Gish, Sue Reiff, Liz Matz, Cynthia Wickstrom Chimes-Nancy Moore Spurs-Laurie Gregg

Phi Kappa Phi—Sue Corrigan, Page Puckett, Liz Matz,

University of Kentucky

Mortar Board—Melanie Phelps

Lawrence University

Mortar Board-Margaret Bardgett

Louisiana State University

Phi Kappa Phi—Sharon Carnes, Jan Gates Mortar Board—Kathy Hufft Alpha Lambda Delta—Cathy Cape, Sharon Carnes, Lori Donaldson, Cathy Gaston, Jan Gates, Cathy Hufft, Lisa Ledet, Carla Myers, Julie Oliver, Lydia Wales, Tracey Warren, Sophie Wegmann Omicron Delta Kappa—Cathy Hufft Mu Sigma Rho-Susan Adams, Sharon Johnson, Sharon Carnes Phi Eta Sigma—Sharon Carnes

Phi Sigma Iota—Sharon Johnson Sigma Delta Pi-Sharon Johnson Psi Chi-Sharon Johnson, Jan Gates

University of Maryland

Phi Beta Kappa—Ann Wilkinson Phi Kappa Phi-Cindy Fulton Mortar Board-Lori Keesey, Ann Wilkinson Alpha Lambda Delta-Lori Keesey Omicron Delta Kappa—Susan Bersbach, Cindy Fulton Sigma Delta Chi—Debbie Fratta Phi Eta Sigma—Cindy Fulton

Miami University

Mortar Board-Nancy Lincoln, Kyle Leverett Alpha Lambda Delta—Amy Harmon Beta Gamma Sigma—Nancy McKaig Kappa Delta Pi—Nancy Loeser Lambda Sigma—Amy Harmon Phi Eta Sigma—Amy Harmon

Michigan State University

Phi Kappa Phi-Mary A. Marron Beta Alpha Psi-Mary A. Marron Beta Gamma Sigma—Mary A. Marron

University of Missouri

Mortar Board-Kitty Wilson, Anne Lewis, Anne Mobley Omicron Delta Pi-Nancy Caldwell

University of Montana

Mortar Board-Jill Fleming

Montana State University

Mortar Board—Donna Johnson Alpha Lambda Delta-Melody Hayes, Dana Morse, Mari Pinckney Pi Sigma Alpha—Karlen Moe Spurs-Ellen Wyman Tau Pi Phi-Nancy Lombardi

University of Nebraska

Mortar Board-Susan Wirth, Jane Matzke

University of Nevada

Cap and Scroll-Melissa Meredith

Sophie Newcomb College

Mortar Board-Ashley Belleau Alpha Lambda Delta-Terri Fuller, Liz Whalen Who's Who-Ashley Belleau

University of North Carolina

Phi Beta Kappa—Brennan Cash Society of Hellenas-Arje Brown, Leslie Bunce, Sally Kendrick, Cynthia Peake, Katherine Simmons

Northwestern University

Mortar Board-Debbie Henken, Debra Homer, Beatrice Motamedi, Anne Thometz

Ohio State University

Phi Kappa Phi—Lynette Barnes, Nancy Biedermen, Nancy Giunto, Kim Seipel Mortar Board—Lynette Barnes, Nancy Giunto, Mary Anne Mullen Sigma Phi Alpha-Lynette Barnes, Nancy Biedermen Chimes—Susie Berry

University of Oklahoma

Phi Beta Kappa—Karen Anderson, Kathy Neal Mortar Board—Kathy Neal

Oklahoma State

Mortar Board-Cindy Burris, Karen Carmichael, Mary Hughes, Cheryl Lynn Plaxico, Lorrie Reed, Suzy Short, Carolyn Steinmetz Alpha Kappa Delta—Julie Currens Sigma Delta Chi-Paula Burkes Kappa Delta Pi-Jana Chambless Phi Upsilon Omicron—Cindy Garrett Omicron Delta Kappa—Karen Carmichael, Chandy

Garrett, Mary Hughes, Tammy Moyer, Cheryl Lynn Plaxico, Lorrie Reed, Suzy Short, Carolyn Steinmetz

Gamma Gamma—Cheryl Lynn Plaxico, Cindy Burris Sigma Alpha Iota—Christi Cary

Kappa Delta Pi-Tammy Moyer, Carolyn Steinmetz Omicron Nu-Chandy Garrett

Alpha Lambda Delta-Pam Arnold, Lisa Beebe, Susan Black, Pamela Burkes, Paula Burkes, Christi Cary, Pam Cline, Gerri Cooper, Sara Fowler, Cathy Greiner, Anne Haller, Totter Hanna, Janie Hostetter, Jayne Hunt, Laura King, Katie McCaleb, Jennifer Mann, Melinda Meador, Misti Moyer, Brenda Moyer, Suzanne Murphy, Lisa Reed, Condy Salyer, Shirley Kay Savage, Lisa Scott, Leslie Start, Kim Steichen, Lynn Summers, Linda Winzeler

Psi Chi-Katie McCaleb

Who's Who-Cindy Burris, Cheryl Lynn Plaxico

Pennsylvania State

Phi Kappa Phi-Jennifer Haythornthwaite Alpha Lambda Kappa—Suzanne Engel Beta Gamma Sigma—Gerilyn Parfitt Phi Eta Sigma—Kathy Applegate, Susan Beyerle, Suzanne Engel, Elizabeth Junker, Stacey Kamariotis, Jane Miller, Mary Jane Sagan

Purdue University

Phi Beta Kappa—Lorie Larson, Julie Marsh Phi Kappa Phi—Carol Saunders, Sally Winstandley Mortar Board-Laura Kenworthy Lynn Pratt, Carol Saunders

Alpha Lambda Delta-Ann Aull, Mary Ann Fuchs, Holly Wheaton, Karen Woerner

Omicron Delta Kappa—Lynn Pratt, Carol Saunders Phi Lambda Upsilon—Margie Poat

Tau Beta Pi-Carol Saunders

University of Southern California

Phi Beta Kappa—Amy Baldwin Phi Kappa Phi—Cyndy Larson Mortar Board—Tracy Downer, Alice Ragenovich Beta Gamma Sigma—Cyndy Larson

University of South Dakota

Mortar Board-Sandra Kasen, Elizabeth Laberee, Coreen Lounsbery, Melissa Miller Omicron Delta Kappa—Melissa Miller Alpha Lambda Delta—Terry Anderson, Melody Cox, Jami Huntsinger, Ann Lawrenceson, Jeanette Mansard, Becky Sagness, Dawn Scheele, Marsha Thompson, Leesa Tibble

Alpha Lambda Delta National Fellowship—Carla Connors

Southern Methodist University

Phi Beta Kappa—Anne Suppiger Mortar Board-Anne Fiedler, Susan Poque Kirkos-Kyle O'Brien Who's Who-Anne Fiedler

Stanford University

Truman Scholarship-Victoria Lani Dawson

Syracuse University

Omicron Nu-Barbara Bast Sigma Alpha Iota—Diane Swieck Eta Pi Upsilon-Diane Swieck Beta Gamma Sigma freshman award—Laura Rohmann

University of Tennessee

Phi Kappa Phi—Karen Brandt Omicron Nu-Karen Brandt

Texas A & M University

Alpha Lambda Delta-Lorie Meril, Lori Ripple, G. G. Vaughan Beta Beta Beta-Ellen King Kappa Delta Pi-Shirley Tillerson Lambda Sigma-G. G. Vaughan Sigma Tau Delta-Margaret Gullett

University of Texas

Phi Beta Kappa—Janie Jeay
Phi Kappa Phi—Kim Alexander, Terry Twining
Mortar Board—Susan Mengden
Opal Marshall McCelvey Scholarship—Mary Ellen Shelton

University of Tulsa

Mortar Board—Martha Halvordson
Omicron Delta Kappa—Donnita Weinkauf
Phi Eta Sigma—Elizabeth Vincent
Lantern—Jane Elefson, Kara Hunnicutt
Scroll—Martha Halvordson
Who's Who—Donnita Weinkauf, Carolyn Wilson

Vanderbilt University

Mortar Board-Betsy Nesbitt

University of Vermont

Outstanding senior in communications—Carol Bengis Who's Who—Kathy Gagne, Linda Knapp

University of Virginia

Beta Alpha Psi—Elizabeth Anne Colmery, Susan Pierson Beta Beta Beta—Katherine D. Clark Omicron Delta Kappa—Lilian Shackelford Sigma Gamma Tau—Pamela Webber Sigma Xi—Pamela Webber Tau Beta Pi—Pamela Webber

University of Washington

Phi Beta Kappa—Becky Lueptow, Lana Osterhage, April Sakahara Mortar Board—Sue Browning

Washington State University

Phi Beta Kappa—Constance Thayer Mortar Board—JoAnne Schmitz

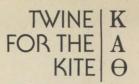
Whitman College

Mortar Board—Suzanne Elliott, Robin Riedinger Signet Table—Barbara Kretzler, Barbara Platt Spurs—Jacqueline de la Chapelle, Linda Keene, Anita Kraft, Nancy Wilson

University of Wisconsin

Phi Kappa Phi—Ann Pelton Mortar Board—Jane Klowin







Spokane Thetas Gayle Mayrand Ogden, Alpha Lambda; Gretchen Heggen Riccelli, Beta Omicron; Linda Richards, Alpha Sigma workers for Flaming Festival.

SPOKANE FESTIVAL PROFITS BOOST PHILANTHROPY

Proceeds from the Spokane Alumnæ Chapter's annual Flaming Festival doubled that of previous years and benefitted the Spokane County Area Chapter of the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, as well as the Kappa Alpha Theta Foundation. The extra financial support has meant continuance of some important public services such as the issuing of Control Packets to newly diagnosed juvenile diabetics and purchasing a film dealing with low blood sugar emergencies. In addition, Theta dollars have also provided camperships so that the youngsters might attend the five day education summer camp, "FUN IN THE SUN," for juvenile diabetics.

Original table settings created around the theme of song titles were designed by Theta alumnæ, with menus accompanying the table settings. Thetas of all ages modeled in two fashion shows which were presented by a local department store. Boutiques sold a wide variety of gifts, handmade crafts and art. The Flaming Festival proved to be very profitable as well as lots of fun!

Louise Parry Snowdy, editor

At left South Dakota Governor William Janklow takes a few seconds "breather" from hand-shaking to pose with Thetas Elizabeth Sahr and Nan Williams, who served as hostesses for his Inaugural Ball. Elizabeth and Nan both of Pierre, S.D., are members of Delta Epsilon chapter at Arizona State University.



Marion Hanna at her surprise birthday party.

Retirement Community Thetas Honor a Leader

by Elizabeth Ann Johnson, Alpha Omicron

The birthday party given for Marion L. Hanna, Psi, at the Stoneridge Country Club, San Diego, April 27, may have been the largest birthday party Marion had ever given for her. Thirty appreciative Kappa Alpha Thetas thought up, planned and attended this birthday luncheon to honor Marion and to recognize her long time Theta involvement. As a token of their true appreciation these Thetas presented Marion with an antique stickpin in the shape of a pansy with a small diamond in the center. The beautiful piece of jewelry was made in 1886.

The existence of a Theta alumnæ club in the Rancho Bernardo community of San Diego is due entirely to the organizational efforts and continuing loving care of one devoted Theta, Marion L. Hanna. When Marion moved to Rancho Bernardo in 1966 she was accustomed to Theta playing a large role in her social and community life. In Evanston where she had lived for many years she was active in the Chicago North Shore Alumnæ Chapter made up of career women who met in the evenings and had a lively program of activities.

So Marion was ready for action when Dorothy Perkins, a Theta from Texas, suggested that there should be a Theta group in Rancho Bernardo. From that time to this, Marion Hanna has been head of the group and has kept it alive and happily functioning through her vigilance in finding new Thetas, and sending notices to the newspapers.

Marion attended Rockford Women's College and then went to the University of Wisconsin where she became a member of Psi. Her sister Florence is also a Theta. Marion spent her entire business career with Harris Trust and Savings in Chicago becoming head of secretarial services of the bank.

In Rancho Bernardo she is active in community affairs. She belongs to the A.A.U.W., D.A.R., Garden Club, Women's Club, Drama Club, Republican Women's Club and others.

Tennis Anyone? For Philanthropy

At Duke this year, Beta Rho Thetas tried an innovative idea. We sponsored the THETA CLASSIC -a mixed doubles tennis tournament. Benefits from Tournament entry fees and food and drink sales went toward the Durham "Meals on Wheels" program. This program serves 124 hot lunches five days a week to homebound people. Quite a few Thetas picked up tennis rackets. There were 56 entries in the tournament handled by Leslie Sladky, Karen Ingler and Patty Wroth. All food and prizes were donated. The tournament was well received—a plus for the Kappa Alpha Theta name on campus. The Durham community philanthropy gave us the opportunity as Duke students to take part in the Durham community. Chapter service chairman Sandy Clingan hopes to see the Theta Classic become an annual event. However, next year it will have to be run in two days. The finalists went home to bed!

Lynn Haass



London, England Thetas pictured at a recent luncheon are left to right: Emily Huntington Williams, Beta; Sally Hamilton, Gamma Tau; Marianne Blackburn Williams, Beta Zeta, Oklahoma State.

WE HEAR FROM LONDON

We may not be strong in numbers and meetings but at least 15 Theta alumnæ are ALIVE AND WELL AND LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM!

Thetas represent college chapters from Indiana University, University of Iowa, University of Tulsa, William and Mary, University of Michigan, Butler, Wisconsin, Cornell, Oklahoma State, Michigan State and Miami University.

International living seems to make it difficult for us to get together more than once or twice a year . . . but we finally managed it with a luncheon held at the home of Sandy Doss Hamilton. A special attraction was the fact that Emily Huntington Williams, Beta, Indiana, flew in from Jersey in the Channel Islands south of England to join us . . . only to happily discover that a suite-mate and Theta sister from college days was also in attendance . . . Jane Browne Bove.

Selected to inspire us to get together more often president—Ramona-Ann Gale Hambling, Iowa State; secretary—Sandy Hamilton, Tulsa; treasurer and Panhellenic delegate—Billie Starke, Cornell; rush recommendations, Marcia Clement Schleif, Wisconsin.

Thetas in England may join the group by contacting the president, Ramona-Ann Gale, c/o Royal Institute of International Affairs, Chatham House, 10 St. James Square, London, England SW IY 4LE. Tel. 01-923-2233, Ext. 57.

FLORIDA THETA SURPRISED AT INITIATION

Imagine having two Theta grandmothers! Better yet, imagine having them show up at your initiation as a surprise! That great event happened to Jean Edwards (center of picture at right) who was initiated into Delta Theta at the University of Florida this past year. Both grandmothers have been Thetas for more than fifty years. Pictured at left is Lucy Edwards, Alpha Chi, Purdue; and right, Mary Frances Messerly, Alpha Omega, Pittsburgh.



Teresa Weissert with Chancellor Wells and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Weissert at the recognition ceremony.

INDIANA THETA HONORED

Indiana University senior Teresa Weissert was named the recipient of the 18th annual Herman B. Wells Senior Award at ceremonies on the Bloomington campus last April. A member of Beta chapter, Teresa was also the 1978 winner of the Founders Memorial Scholarship named for Hannah Fitch Shaw.

The Wells Award, established in honor of IU Chancellor Herman B. Wells, long-time president of Indiana University, recognizes excellence in academic growth and achievement as well as significant contributions to the campus through leadership and participation in campus activities. While at IU Teresa served as the first woman president of the IU Student Foundation, and was a member of Mortar Board. She was an honor student with a major in journalism/political science. In the summer of 1978, Teresa Weissert was an intern in the office of Indiana Senator Richard Lugar.



She Found Her Future at Home in Montana

Excerpts from an article by Barbara Mittal, Great Falls Tribune



Margery Hunter Brown

When Margery Hunter Brown, Alpha Nu, was graduated from the University of Montana School of Journalism in 1950, her contemporaries believed success had to be found in the big city.

But Margery Brown, a native of Libby, MT, wanted to stay in Montana to find success, using her training in history and journalism. Her search for success has led her to the post of acting dean of the University of Montana Law School, where she had been assistant dean since July 1978.

Today most of the law school students she advises also want to stay in the state. "People are becoming increasingly aware of the quality of life Montana offers," she said. "Unless chosen careers such as science demand that graduates leave the state they are weighing the value of leaving."

"None of us at age 22 knew where we wanted to go" but James L. C. Ford, then-dean of the School of Journalism, advised his students to work at least a year in the state before deciding whether they wanted to leave it.

Margery Brown served her internship as a staff writer for the Great Falls Tribune. With the exception of some time in New Zealand on a Fulbright study grant and in the East and Midwest in early years of her marriage, she has found her future in Montana.

When her daughters were established in school Margery returned to the University of Montana for doctoral work in history and began working closely

with preliminary work for the constitutional convention. She entered law school in 1972 because, "it seemed to be a natural extension of what I was doing." When she received her juris doctorate degree in 1975 she served a year as legal counsel for the Confederated Salish-Kootenai tribes on the Flathead Indian Reservation. "Although I had lived in western Montana I had not come to grips with the Indian situation until working on the reservation," she said. "Indian history and law decidedly meet in Indian federal law."

Indian law and local government are her law school teaching areas. The new acting dean says she has no aspirations to remain in law school administration. Her long range hopes are to teach law and history. Since her appointment was for a period ending this past July, Margery Hunter has stepped down from her Dean's role and is doing what she always wanted to do . . . teach law.

Two \$10,000 Levels in One Year



Carol Keiser Bodwell, Kansas presents a check to Mr. Jules Kinkes, Executive Director of Variety, while Janice Dutcher Burd, Florida State, points to the Theta plaque among contributors' names.

The Miami alumnæ chapter is proud of its contributions to Variety Children's Hospital, This year the chapter gave \$1,500, making their total contributions to the hospital over \$10,000.

During 1979 Miami was also able to reach the \$10,000 level in Foundation contributions with a \$2,000 donation. Contributions were made possible through the new "Bazaar Plus," Theta Day at the Races, and two Theta Husband parties.



Mary Griffith

KANSAS CITY CELEBRATES

The Kansas City Alumnæ Chapter celebrated its Diamond Jubilee Founders' Day January 25, 1979. The alumnæ chapter was established in 1903.

Marie Fitz, Grand President, flew into a very cold and snowy Kansas City to participate in the festivities.

Mary Griffith, Beta Iota, was named Theta of the year. She has been active in a variety of community activities including United Way, Trinity Lutheran Hospital, Red Cross, and the Presbyterian Church. Mary's mother, Mary Mantz, was on hand for the occasion. She is a special Theta too and has been for 60 years, and served as a district officer and national parliamentarian.

Patricia Dubois Duncan, Alpha Iota received special recognition for her contributions to the conservation of wildlife. An author, artist and photographer, her exhibit, "The Tallgrass Prairie: An American Landscape" is touring the United States as a major exhibition of the Smithsonian Institution. Her most recent publication is "Tall-Grass Prairie: The Inland Sea."



Pat Duncan



Cathy McGee



Jennifer Smith



Cindi Lund

BETA RHO LEADS

Beta Rho chapter is proud to report that three members have merited certain elected honors in the Duke University system. Once again, Thetas have taken the fraternity idea of opportunity for leadership and made it a reality.

Chapter president Cathy McGee was elected to the office of Senior Class President. Jennifer Smith was chosen as Senior Class Secretary. They will hold office for five years, as their duties will involve organizing activities for their graduating class for that length of

time with the dimension of involving alumni support.

The third chapter member to receive recognition for her leadership ability is Cindi Lund who has become Panhellenic President for the present school year. The Panhellenic Council under her direction has been working for superior inter-sorority relations . . . no small feat at Duke where chapter members do not live together as a unit. As president, Cindi was instrumental in bringing an eleventh national sorority to Duke. We welcome Alpha Omicron Pi! Lynn Haass



Lorie Merril after announcement of her appointment at Boulder Officers' Conference.

Council Elects Lorie Merrill Member-at-Large

Grand Council has appointed Elore (Lorie) Merrill as a Council member-at-large to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Lynn Fight. Lorie Merrill was installed at Leadership Conference in Denver in June, and was assigned to the Service Committee but will be on loan to the College Committee on a temporary basis.

The new Council member has an extensive background in Theta work, having been both an alumnæ district president and a college district president in District VII which includes Southern California and Arizona.

Lorie is a member of Gamma Xi chapter and received her degree and teaching credentials from San Jose State. In addition to her officer experience she has been pledge adviser to Omicron at USC, and has held the presidency and chairmanship of the rush recommendation board for the Long Beach Alumnæ Chapter. She is a member of the Junior League of Long Beach and a past president of the PTA. She is presently Vice-President of the Long Beach Dental Foundation and serves on the board of the Long Beach Day Nursery. Her husband Paul and four sons are avid sailboat racing enthusiasts and Lorie sails with the family and spends much time as a sports spectator watching her sons compete in waterpolo, swimming and baseball.



Virginia Schmid, Rho

Virginia Schmid to Head **Nominating Committee**

Virginia Chain Schmid has been appointed chairman of the 1980 Nominating Committee. Her experience and background will serve her well as she chairs the committee of 18 which will nominate a full slate of Grand Council candidates to be voted upon at the Grand Convention in Florida, next June.

Virginia Schmid previously served in this capacity at the 1968 Grand Convention. An initiate of Rho chapter, University of Nebraska, she has filled many important positions in the fraternity, from president of the Omaha Alumnæ Chapter to Grand Vice-President, Finance 1962-64. She was also president of District VIII for five years; a member of the Loan and Fellowship Committee; and a Member-at-large, Grand Council, 1958-62. In 1966 she was chairman of the Grand Convention banquet and chairman of the first Leadership Conference, 1967. She was secretary for the Nominating Committee at the 1978 Grand Convention.

Over the years, Virginia has assumed responsibilities in many civic organizations and in 1971 was named Omaha's Panhellenic Woman of the Year. She still gives time to the Omaha Community Playhouse, two hospital auxiliaries, and is president of her investment club. She and her lawyer-banker husband Marvin share family interests with their son Brian who practices law with his father's firm. The Schmids have two grandchildren.

Thetas nominated for Grand Council must be college graduates. Individual Thetas, as well as college and alumnæ chapters or clubs may send recommendations for Grand Council. A form to use for writing recommendations will be printed in the Winter issue of the Theta Magazine.



photo by Susan Meeker

POLITICS SPOKEN HERE

Pictured on the Capitol steps are Thetas whose careers have taken a political turn. Some are interns, several are administrative assistants to congressmen or senators, others work for a political party, and one is a senator.

On steps, top to bottom Susan Meeker (Ohio State) Nat. Rep. Congressional Comm.; Carol Summerville (USC) Sen. Lugar; Carol Cones (DePauw) Cong. John Myers; Julie Sandt (Miami Univ.) Cong. C. Miller; Susan Blankenbaker (Miami Univ.) Cong. C. Miller; Cecelia Harrison (Vanderbilt) Rep. Nat. Comm.; Sara Lee Denman (Vanderbilt) Rep. Nat. Comm.; Barbara Worley (Washington) Sen. Jackson; Kay Swart Taro (Washington)

State) Sen. Jackson; Jane Zema (Washington) Cong. Pritchard; and Corie Brown (Kansas), Sen. Kessebaum.

Standing left to right, Lisa Friday (Kansas) Rep. Nat. Comm.; Susan Matthews (Ohio State) Sen. Glenn; Tracy Price (Oklahoma State) Nat. Rep. Cong. Committee; Chriss Edwards (Hanover) Cong. J. Myer; Leah G. Fallin (Vanderbilt) Sen. Nunn; Senator Nancy Kassebaum (Kansas); Frances Rone (Vanderbilt) SBA; Julie Gibson (S.M.U.), Cong. Gradison; Lynn Yerges (Virginia) Sen. Lugar; Sarah Welch (Miami Univ.) Cong. J. Martin; Ellen Robinson (New Mexico) Rep. Nat. Comm.

Nancy Kassebaum, Kappa, Kansas, the only woman in the Senate, heads the list of Thetas in politics. Following are brief profiles of other Thetas who have found employment and a career in politics in Washington, D.C.

Susan Blankenbaker, Gamma Upsilon, Miami University is a staff member for Congressman Clarence E. Miller, Ohio. She has a B.A. in economics and plans to return to graduate school for an MBA in 1980. Susan spent her Junior year studying in Luxembourg while living with a French family and working for the British Advisor to the European Economic Community. Her interests are tennis, running, skiing, water sports and the flute which she has played for 14 years and still performs in the Washington area.

Corrie Brown, Kappa, Kansas is an intern for Senator Nancy Kassebaum, also of Kappa chapter. Following her internship she will join the public relations staff of Vickers Petroleum in Wichita. Her work with Senator Kassebaum includes help in writing constituent letters and writing editorials. She has a B.S. in Journalism. Cory was a member of the Student Senate at K.U. and chapter editor. She has been a public relations consultant for a commercial real estate brokerage company. Her hobbies are photography, various types of writing, gourmet cooking, snow and water skiing, Cory is interested in eventually having her own public relations agency and her present objective is to build a versatile, solid foundation for a career.

Sara Lee Denman, Alpha Eta, Vanderbilt is an intern in the office of the Republican National Committee. She is presently involved with two projects: the development of a fact sheet highlighting Republican legislation that benefits women; and a fact sheet that explains the importance of and the way to become a delegate to a national political convention.

Chriss Edwards, Nu, Hanover College worked in computer services as director of precinct election analysis and staff assistant in field division of the Republican National Committee. She is presently in the office of Indiana Congressman John Myer, working with constituent mail mainly concerning senior citizen issues. Interests include volleyball, softball, ballet and volunteer work at Alexandria Hospital where she takes photos of the new babies.

Leah Fallin, Alpha Eta, Vanderbilt is an intern in the office of Georgia Senator Sam Nunn, assigned to the case section doing legal research. She is a junior at Vanderbilt, majoring in Business and Political Science. She is an Honor Council advisor, a member of the IMPACT Open Symposium Committee, Assistant Rush Chairman for Panhellenic and a member of Phi Eta Sigma and Alpha Lambda Delta honor societies.

Lisa Friday, Kappa, Kansas, works for the local Elections Campaign Division of the Republican National Committee. She has a BA in Personnel Administration and was an intern for Congressman Larry Winn, Jr. in 1977. She was chapter standards chairman and served in the Student Senate at KU.

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Susan S. Meeker, Alpha Gamma Ohio State 1978 graduate in photography, is a photographer for the Republican National Committee, working in the audio-visual department. She was awarded the Esther Stafford Taylor honor pin for 'creativity due to the slide show projection for rush, overall artwork for chapter, and Greek week multimedia photography. She is on the Board of Directors for the D.C. Alumni Club of Ohio State University. As a volunteer she will be doing the still-photography work for George Bush and will be traveling with the presidential candidate. Susan is an ardent runner and shows up at foot races to benefit the American Cancer Society. Susan Meeker volunteered to photograph and do the research for this article.

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Frances Bone, Alpha Eta, Vanderbilt is an intern in the Small Business Administration pollution control finance division. She does research dealing with legislation from senators and congressmen. She will return to Vanderbilt for her senior year.

Julie Sandt—Gamma Upsilon, Miami University has a degree in political science and communication. She is a staff assistant to Ohio Congressman Clarence Miller. Julie served her chapter as fraternity education chairman and was active in Campus Crusade.

Carol Summerville graduated from U.S.C. where she was a member of Omicron chapter. She has a degree in social science and works for Senator Richard Lugar, Indiana, dealing mainly with constituent relations.

Kay Swart Taro, Alpha Sigma, Washington State works for Senator Henry Jackson of Washington. She is his military liaison staff member dealing with military matters and personal problems concerning individual military members among his constituents. A widow, Kay Taro has been a member of Jackson's staff for 16 years.

Lynn Yerges, having completed her first year of law school at Wake Forest University is a summer intern for Senator John C. Danforth, Missouri. Lynn graduated from the University of Virginia with a B.A. in American Government and she was a charter member of Delta Chi chapter installed there in 1976. She served as vice-president-pledge education and standards chairman. For Senator Danforth her responsibilities include research in the areas of energy impact legislation and Congressional oversight of the executive.

Sarah L. Welch, Gamma Upsilon, Miami University was president of her chapter and completed a year as a traveling consultant for the fraternity before becoming executive assistant for Congressman Jim Martin of North Carolina. At Miami she was voted Outstanding Greek Woman of 1976.

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Jane Zema, Alpha Lambda, Washington has a degree in political science. She is an intern for Congressman Joel Pritchard, Washington and has done research for the Washington State Legislature. She served as rush chairman and Panhellenic delegate for her chapter. Her work as an intern involves health and social welfare matters and a comparison of legislation concerning health bills. For the future Jane Zema hopes to be a staff member at either state or national level and wants to work on legislation.



Jeanne Moores, Vanderbilt, and her boss, Congressman Ronnie C. Flippo, Alabama.

Jeanne Moores, Alpha Eta, Vanderbilt came to Washington last September to work for Congressman Ronnie C. Flippo, Alabama. She served as a research assistant, specializing in Tennessee Valley Authority matters. Jeanne comes from a long line of Thetas including her grandmother, mother and two aunts. She served on the standards and IMPACT committees. From her political experience Jeanne now begins work as a paralegal for a Washington, D.C. firm.

"Earth's slow darkening twilight then the radiance of a new dawn."

Masterson

Helena McClarren Fuller (Mrs. Pierce R.) Arizona 1924; April 1979 Janet Kemp Ellis (Mrs. Daniel E.) Arizona 1947; May 1979 Emily L. Halbrook Arkansas 1971; February 1979 Barbara Fuller Gilson (Mrs. James S.) Butler 1940; January 1979 Dorothea Reissner Hensley (Mrs. Louis) Butler 1922; March 1979 Julia Brown Konold (Mrs. David) Butler 1923; April 1979 Mary A. Moore Wright (Mrs. John A.) Butler 1933; February 1979 Maude B. Gray Best (Mrs. Maude B.) Cal.-Berkeley 1920; March 1979 Helen Wright Kellett (Mrs. Edw. C.) Cal.-Los Angeles 1934; March 1979 Dorothy Graunis Sullivan (Mrs. Dennis) Cal.-Los Angeles 1925; February 1979 Mary Baber Wilson, (Mrs. Midge) Cal.-Los Angeles 1938; April 1979 Linda Hardy Wilbraham (Mrs. Lee F.) Cincinnati 1955; May 1979 M. Phyllis Gardiner Sullivan (Mrs. Phyllis) Colorado 1937; April 1979 Margaret Bentley Ryan (Mrs. Ralph) Cornell 1931; April 1979 Lillian Eldridge Denison 1929; May 1979 Lucy Goodrich Hauenstein (Mrs. Virgil) Denison 1929; June 1979 Dorothy Moor Summers (Mrs. Thomas M.) Denison 1929; March 1979 Ruth Wickenden Winans (Mrs. Leslie H.) Denison 1929; May 1979 Frances Wales Haycock (Mrs. Bruce) DePauw 1903; February 1979 Grace Rhodes Jewett (Mrs. Chester A.) DePauw 1907; February 1979 Rachel Williams Shields (Mrs. Ewing, Jr.) DePauw 1913; June 1979 Marianne Miller Cooper (Mrs. Marianne) Drake 1937; May 1979 Kathryn Moore Eldridge (Mrs. Granville E.) Drake 1925; May 1979 Bethel Johnson Young, III (Mrs. Lafayette) Drake 1936; January 1979 Eleanor Hopkins Hall (Mrs. Albert) Goucher 1908; February 1979 Jeannette Vorhis Cochran (Mrs. Homer H.) Indiana 1919; June 1979 Marjorie Alberti Lemon (Mrs. Kenneth) Iowa 1938; February 1979 Frances Klein Wohlwend (Mrs. Floyd) Iowa 1926; April 1979

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Frances Holsopple Parsons

Beatrice Koenig Bailey

(Mrs. Harry C.) Pittsburgh 1919; May 1979

(Mrs. Judson A.) Pennsylvania 1919; April 1979

Pittsburgh 1933; March 1979

Lois G. Milliken Brooks (Mrs. Roy A.)

Zella A. Chambers Pittsburgh 1915; May 1979 Olivia Koenig Hays (Mrs. Fred N.) Pittsburgh 1920; February 1979 Lillian Hagerty McNamara (Mrs. Edw. G.) Pittsburgh 1917; January 1979 Elizabeth A. McCreery Leineweber (Mrs. Wm. F., Jr.) Purdue 1941; February 1979 Rebecca S. Jarvis Gordon (Mrs. Walter L., Jr.) Randolph Macon 1927; March 1979 Bevelle C. Nabers Crane (Mrs. Donald R., Jr.) Rollins 1957; April 1979 Donna Gumz Simpson (Mrs. Geo. T.) San Diego 1934; May 1979 Jane Weinrich Dye (Mrs. Jane W.) So. California 1932; February 1979 Mary C. Sherwood Levitt (Mrs. Glen) So. Dakota 1912; April 1979 Frances Tate Caldwell (Mrs. James A.) So. Methodist 1935; January 1979 Mildred Maurer Brown (Mrs. Bradley) Stanford 1918; May 1979 Elizabeth Seaman Dawes (Mrs. Edmund) Swarthmore 1931; June 1979 Ellen Newby Boddy (Mrs. H. M.) Texas 1935; February 1979 Freya Hahn Toronto 1915; January 1979 Dora Mavor Moore (Mrs. F. J.) Toronto 1906; May 1979 Elsie Raikes Toronto 1921; March 1979 Eileen Dowler Stevenson (Mrs. Donald) Toronto 1928; February 1979 Betty Curtiss Vanderbilt 1942; May 1979 Daisy Hemphill Tuttle (Mrs. C. O.) Vanderbilt 1904; March 1979 Elizabeth Fyffe Fladger (Mrs. Joseph) Washburn 1918; January 1979 Agnes Fisk Millice (Mrs. Glen) Washburn 1914; January 1979 Geraldine Scott Spickerman (Mrs. Harold D.) Washburn 1923; February 1979 Rachel Metcalfe Phelps (Mrs. E. J., Jr.) Washington-St. Louis 1915; February Victorine Bouillon Washington-Seattle 1912; April 1979 Emily R. Lucas Adams (Mrs. Frank D.) Wooster 1907; April 1979 Helen Stafford Black (Mrs. Helen Craig) Wooster 1906; February 1978

Louise Waddell Dunlap (Mrs. Ralph) Wooster 1909; April 1979



The charter members were photographed last fall when they were pledges.

Epsilon Zeta Chartered at Mississippi



Ole Miss hung out the welcome sign for Theta the weekend of Feb. 23-25. Among flowers and more flowers which seemed to arrive from all directions, Southern hospitality lived up to its advance notice for the arrival of Kappa Alpha Theta, the newest sorority on campus.

Even in Oxford, Mississippi it snows occasionally as it did that weekend, perhaps to add another "at home" touch for those who came from "up North" to install the chapter: Grand President, Marie Fitz; Grand Vice-Presidents Marj Schnacke and Kahla Latta; Executive Secretary Nancy Weess and Beth Fluharty from Central Office. Also assisting were Edwinna Robbins, CDP in District XI who was installation chairman, Gay Brown, the other CDP and Betty Mainous, alumnæ district president. Alumnæ from Oxford and Jackson, MI as well as Memphis and Nashville Thetas were there to lend a hand.

The assisting college chapter was Delta Omicron at Alabama. Delta Pi at Tennessee also sent a delegation. With the new chapter house still on the drawing board at the time of installation various ceremonies were held in excellent facilities on the Ole Miss campus.

Construction of the new chapter house is scheduled

Dr. Franklin Moak, Dean of Students greets new chapter members and friends at the banquet.



Marie Fitz

to start late this fall, with occupancy projected for the fall of 1980. In the meantime the new Thetas are living in Brown Hall, a dormitory which looks out on the Theta property, affording a daily progress report on the new Theta home. The chapter is presently in the Old Y building which serves well as a social center and

doubles as a meeting room.

The thirty-three initiates were honored at the installation banquet Saturday night attended by families, friends and representatives of the University. Chapter president Shannon Quiriconi spoke for the Epsilon Zeta members and Dr. Franklin Moak, Dean of Students at Ole Miss welcomed the group to the large and flourishing Greek community which is encouraged and supported by the administration.

Following the banquet, the charter presentation by Marie Fitz carried a personal touch. Somehow during the crowded weekend, she had slipped away to a frame shop and personally framed the parchment charter, officially signifying Kappa Alpha Theta's arrival at the

University of Mississippi.

The final affair of the installation weekend was the reception on Sunday at the Oxford Country Club.











At the banquet initiates serenaded resident counselor Karen Maiers with the song she wrote for them.

Upper left Bootsie Hooper, Oxford alumna and social advisor to the new chapter; upper right, Betty Mainous, alumnæ district president speaking at the installation banquet; lower left, Kahla Latta, Grand Vice-President Alumnæ; and Mari Schnacke, Grand Vice-President, Service who is in charge of extension and installations.

Over the DESKTOP



EPSILON ZETA CHARTER MEMBERS

Tyler Bargerson, Birmingham, AL; Jamie Becker, Gautier, MS; Alexandra Bennett, Lexington, KY; Paige Berry, Franklin, IN; Margaret Bounds, Nashville, TN; Liz Coats, St. Louis, MO; Ashley Cole, Jackson, MS; Michelle Deschka, Chester, IL; Gigi De-Bond, Oxford, MS; Beverly Earnest, Southhaven, MS; Tricia Edwards, Jackson, MS; Karen Eilertsen, Oxford, MS; Mary Margaret Fisk, Oxford, MS; Betsy Gilvary, Pensacola, FL; Meredith Gowan, Pickens, MS; Jane Locke, Mt. Pleasant, IN; Helen Loftin, Houston, TX; Gay Loyacano, Pensacola, FL; Debby Luncy, Winthrop Harbor, IL; Cindy McComas, Clinton, MS; Melody Marks, Meridian, MS; Nancy Markwell, Memphis, TN; Wynne Mitchell, Nashville, TN; Rhonda Murphy, Oxford, MS; Cindy Myers, Jacksonville, FL; Cathy Price, Vicksburg, MS; Shannon Quiriconi, Jackson, MS; Susan Waitkus, Chicago, IL; Penny Wallace, Nashville, TN; Wendy Woodward, London, England; Tena Yaeger, Hattisburg, MS; Lisa Yearwood, Nashville, TN; Robin Young, West Point, MS.

Theta is Returning to Cornell

Recommendations are needed now. If you know a girl now attending Cornell or planning to enter that University whom you would like to be a Theta, send your recommendation to Mrs. Balfour Brehman, 8 Browns Lane, Villanova, PA 19085.

Re-establishment of a Theta chapter at Cornell is scheduled for winter 1980. You can help rebuild a new Iota chapter. Send your recommendations now.

Although Alpha Zeta chapter at Barnard College returned its charter in 1915, the influence of Kappa Alpha Theta remains. Due to the efforts of Jean Townley Leich, Alpha Zeta, '13, who calls herself "the last survivor," the existence of a Theta scholarship at Barnard has been confirmed. Jean Leich remembered that a scholarship fund had been established by Alpha Zeta alumnæ in the New York area who met together for "delightful meetings for many years and raised money for a modest scholarship." The Alpha Zeta scholarship was never mentioned in the Barnard Alumnæ Magazine, so Jean Leich took it upon herself to find out what had become of the money. The gift was \$2,000, added to from the proceeds of a yearly bridge party which yielded fifty to one hundred dollars. Jean Leich's husband, the late Chester Leich, famed painter and etcher, donated a framed etching which had received an award in a French exhibition, for a door prize raffle to benefit the fund.

And now comes the great news from Barnard College that the scholarship fund is now valued at \$21,038.11, yielding approximately \$1,200 annually for a scholarship award to a graduating senior who shows promise of distinction in her chosen work.

Success Story

A high school graduation we wouldn't have missed for anything brought great pride to this one time advisory board chairman. Last June as the first graduates of University Preparatory Academy received their diplomas, a giant step in the career plan of Jane Campbell Seymour, Alpha Lambda had been reached. Jane Seymour was a founding teacher and prime mover of this new private school in Seattle. She is now president of the board of trustees and remains a dedicated science teacher. With a liberal arts emphasis, the school sets out to prepare students for college, which goal has been accomplished with the first class who were all accepted to the colleges of their choice, and which includes a national merit scholarship winner. It is one of the continuing privileges of having once been a chapter advisor that you never lose interest in "your girls."

Cover Story

By the time you reach this page you will already know that several hundred Thetas got together in Denver this summer to learn about leadership and participate in a Kite Fly. Although there were no prizes we think the boldest, most imaginative Kite was the one constructed and flown by the president of Chi chapter Louise Nickolas who is shown on the cover with her "bird." The highest flying kite was the entry of the alumnæ district presidents, made in the shape of a good old Theta pin. So high did it fly that it would have to have been photographed from a satellite so we can't show it to you in living color.

Hope Davis Gordon Alpha Epsilon Chapter Grand President 1915-19

Died November 1978



Hope Davis Mecklin Gordon, Grand President 1915-1919 died last November in Fairfield, CT. She was 92 vears old.

Hope Davis was a member of Alpha Epsilon chapter at Brown University from which she was a Phi Beta Kappa graduate. In 1913 she was elected Grand Vice-President. In 1915 she became Grand President and that year married John M. Mecklin, then a professor of Philosophy at the University of Pittsburgh and later at Dartmouth College. That same year she was invited to become the first Dean of Women at Valparaiso University in Indiana, but chose instead to marry Professor Mecklin.

Following her term as Grand President, Hope Mecklin continued to serve the fraternity in other capacities. She held the position of Grand Alumnæ Secretary (at that time ex-officio Grand Council) for 12 years and toward the end of her tenure she developed the first program for alumnæ fraternity education. She also served as Theta's NPC Delegate from 1919-21.

Professor Mecklin died in 1956 and Hope Mecklin

married Theodore Gordon in 1958.

In Hanover, NH she was a founder of the PTA, charter member of the League of Women Voters and a Girl Scout Commissioner. In 1947 she and a friend won the New Hampshire duplicate bridge championship.

Hope Gordon's daughter, Mary Mecklin Jenkins writes, "Mother had an enormous capacity for friendship. As she sadly lost her life long friends she made younger ones, and she kept up with all of them with notes and cards, and they went out of their way to visit her." Mrs. Jenkins also recalled that her mother read the New York Times cover to cover every day and she also read four or five books a week.. "She thought, acted and talked as though the future of the USA and of the world was her concern."

Soon after her move to Fairfield she became the focus of much appreciated attention and friendship from the Fairfield County Thetas. Her daughter described the visits, cards, plants and invitations as "altogether wonderful. It meant a lot to my mother."



NEW DISTRICT OFFICERS APPOINTED



Mary Lea Kruse



Claire Wilson



Betty Nelson



Janet Peters

Mary Lea Mountain Kruse, Tau, Northwestern has joined the ranks of the ADPs and will serve in District XIII, Missouri, Arkansas and Iowa. She lives in Iowa City and has been pledge adviser to Beta Omicron chapter. In alumnæ work she has been president of the Iowa City Club and recommendation chairman.

Mary Lea is an art consultant and gallery owner, an art museum docent, and a board member of Friends Council—University of Iowa Museum. Other affiliations are P.E.O. and Church Chancel Guild. Gardening, gourmet cooking, tennis and enlarging a house are activities receiving a share of her attention.

Claire Ann Walker Wilson, Gamma Nu, has been appointed CDP in District VIII, replacing Marilyn Jacobson. District VIII encompasses Minnesota, Nebraska, North and South Dakota. Claire is immediate past president of the St. Paul, MN Alumnæ Chapter. Prior to the presidency she served as St. Paul's Finance Chairman and Flaming Festival Tea Table Chairman.

A native of North Dakota, Claire received her B.S. Degree in Home Economics from North Dakota State. As a free lance Home Economist, she currently teaches microwave cooking classes, has an interest in a microwave cookware distributorship, and is coordinator of "Meals on Wheels" for her church.

Claire and her husband, Dick, have two daughters, Terri, 18, a college sophomore, and Ann, 16, a high school junior. They enjoy winter ski trips together, and lazy summer weekends at their north woods lake cabin.

Betty White Nelson, Gamma Iota, Kentucky, is the new CDP in District XI which includes Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi. She shares college chapters with Gay Brown and will be responsible for University of Kentucky, Eastern Kentucky, Tennessee, and Vanderbilt.

Betty has an M.A. in education and she has taught English in high school and psychology in college. Her husband Tom is a Sigma Nu and her daughter Ann is currently president of Gamma Iota chapter. Another daughter Maribeth is a Phi Mu at Western Kentucky. They all work in the family business, Nelson Wholesale Kitchens and Building Materials.

Betty has belonged to alumnæ clubs in Kentucky and Georgia and has been a pledge advisor and authorized rush representative. She is presently chairman of the Electric Plan Board of Hopkinsville, president of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church and on the Board of Directors of the University of Kentucky Alumni Association. For a hobby she grows roses.

Janet Paine Peters, Beta Omega, Colorado College, is a new ADP in District VII. She replaces Barbie Wright who is retiring. Janet is the immediate past president of the Federation of Kappa Alpha Theta Alumnæ in Southern California and she will share responsibilities with Marion Paoletti in this district which includes Arizona and Southern California.

She has been the president of the Pasadena Alumnæ chapter. Her volunteer life is shared with the Girl Scouts which she has served as a leader for eight years and a Council board member for the past two years.

Janet shares her love for music with her husband Bill, daughter Judy, 17 and son Tom, 15. Other hobbies include renting old movies from Hollywood to share with friends. A mountain cabin in the region calls the Peters on weekends.



Edwina Covington



Lee-Anne Distler



Marilyn Lynch



Marion Paoletti



Pat Schutte

District IV, Kansas and Oklahoma has a new Alumnæ District President. She is Edwina Harrison Covington, who has been appointed to replace Dana Wolfe, elected to Grand Council, A member of Beta Zeta, Oklahoma State, and a resident of Stillwater, Edwina has been active in the affairs of her college chapter. She has served on the corporation board and is presently on the building committee. Locally she has worked on the recommendation board, has been an alumnæ club officer and a member of the Beta Zeta chapter advisory board.

In addition to her Theta activities Edwinna Covington has served as president of the Stillwater Medical Wives Association.

Edwina is a third generation Theta of Beta Zeta lineage and her sister, daughter and two aunts are also members of the Oklahoma State chapter.

The new ADP in District XVII is a transplant from the Midwest. Having lived six months in Lexington, NC, Lee-Anne Foster Distler says she likes everything about the "sunny South" and is pleased to have the opportunity to continue her Theta work. Six very active years in the St. Louis Alumnæ Chapter, and most recently chairman of Santa's House is a good background for working with Theta alumnæ in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Maryland and Washington, D.C. Other volunteer activities include church-related work, local schools and Junior League.

Lee-Anne's chapter is Beta, Indiana University. Her husband Bill is a Deke from Vanderbilt. The Distlers have two young daughters. When her volunteer commitments permit, Lee-Anne goes in for gardening, bridge, needlework and home decorating.

Marilyn Lynch, new ADP in District XII, has a background in alumnæ work which will be a valuable asset in working with chapters and clubs in Texas. A graduate of Texas Tech where she was a member of Gamma Phi chapter, she has served Houston alumnæ as president, chairman of the Theta Charity Antiques Show, treasurer, vice-president, Panhellenic representative. Marilyn has also worked in behalf of college chapters, as treasurer of the Gamma Omicron House Corporation and member of the advisory board at Gamma Phi.

Beyond Theta work, Marilyn has been involved in leadership positions in the Houston Junior Forum and Houston area P.E.O. She and her husband, Joe, have three teen age sons.

Marion Andrews Paoletti is one of two new Alumnæ District Presidents in District VII. She lives in Phoenix and is a member of Delta Lambda chapter, Utah, where she was in the first pledge class of the new chapter. At Delta Lambda she served as Panhellenic delegate and rush chairman.

Adjusting to a new home in Phoenix wasn't too hard for Marion. She traded her love for snow skiing to tennis. She has served as benefit chairman, vicepresident and president of the Phoenix Alumnæ Chapter. She is a member of the Phoenix Junior League. Life is not all volunteer for Marion, however, as she operates her own macrame business. Marion states that she is very enthusiastic about her new ADP job.

Pat Kelsey Schutte, Alpha Mu, Missouri, is the new College District President in District II, Illinois and Wisconsin. She will work with Psi, Alpha Psi, Tau and Delta.

Prior to assuming responsibilities as CDP, Pat was rush adviser and advisory board chairman for Tau at Northwestern. She is a member of the Chicago-North Shore Alumnæ chapter and served as vice-president, membership and college liaison chairman.

Before moving to Evanston, Pat and her husband Ken, both from St. Louis, traveled with the Navy and attended graduate schools in Boston. As a special education teacher, she worked with orthopedically handicapped and learning disabled children. The Schuttes have a daughter Samantha.



Delta Chi's new home in Charlottesville, Virginia

CHAPTER HOUSE AT VIRGINIA DEDICATED

By Anne Hayward, Delta Chi

Last April 1st, on a sunny spring Sunday at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, Delta Chi chapter held an open house to dedicate its new chapter house. The dedication was in honor of Delta Chi's devoted and enthusiastic house corporation board and advisory board. The occasion was truly beautiful—from the fresh flower arrangements throughout the sparkling house to the proud Theta collegians and alumnae and parents.

Guest of honor was Ann Shull Lauterbach, Grand Vice-President Finance. The national fraternity made the project possible from the beginning with generous financial, as well as moral support. Mrs. Lauterbach spoke at the open house and expressed the pride and joy the collegians, alumnae and the national fraternity felt with the culmination of such a grand undertaking. A pencil sketch of the chapter house by Delta Chi member Virginia Dawson was presented to the house corporation whose members are Barbara Funk, president; Diane Birdsong, vice-president; Murr Wieboldt, secretary; Jean Beegle; Gay Savage; Marion Chase, Anne Spence, Kathy Eason, Brant Gamma, Linda Gibson, Molly Hill, Derry Miller, Janet Muse, Rachel Poole and Leslie Thiele.

Just three years ago, April 3rd, 1976, Delta Chi chapter was founded. Since then, Theta has grown incredibly from twenty-eight charter initiates to ninety three members. As Theta grew at Virginia, it became clear that the chapter couldn't continue with a small apartment for headquarters, and the search for a chapter house began.

The housing market in Charlottesville was tight, and demand for houses near the University was especially high. For nearly a year the house corporation searched until they found one that met size and location criteria. But there was one hitch—zoning laws required that there be parking spaces for all residents who owned cars. Since the house would hold 25-30 girls, and there were only three parking spaces, the situation looked hopeless. Undaunted, the corporation appealed to the zoning board and won, partly because another sorority on the street was handling the parking problem well, and the neighbors were in favor of another sorority on the street.

By January 1978, the house corporation had come up with a gem of a red brick, three-story house. Its location was ideal—just minutes from central campus. The house was built around the turn of the century. It has been owned by several families, used as a schoolhouse, and more recently as a boarding house.

A complete renovation was undertaken. Finally at the start of second semester 1979, the chapter house was ready. Anne Spence, chairman of the advisory board and house corporation board member in charge of interior decoration chose a color scheme of bright yellow and orange including the phones and kitchen and bathroom fixtures. Anne Spence also made the curtains throughout the house.

Jane Yancey, corporation treasurer looked back on the project and said, "the problems and headaches were minimized by the enthusiasm and patience of the Delta Chi Thetas—it's been wonderful working with them." Similarly, Anne Spence said, "There was never a moment when you couldn't come over and be with Thetas to feel that it would all be worth it."

And it has all been worth it. Delta Chi has grown tremendously, but has also become a more closely-knit group, mostly because our new chapter house is home to all the sisters, not just the ones who live in it. With the unfaltering support of the national fraternity and our local alumnae, our chapter house has become a reality.

Virginia Dawson, center displays her drawing of the chapter house to Marion Chase and Kathy Larson at left and Cindy Thrush and Elise Aufenger at right.

Dedication Reception at Delta Chi Was No April Fool's Day Joke



Ann Lauterbach, center, Grand Vice-President Finance talks with corporation board members Rachael Poole, Marion Chase, Anne Spence and Jane Yancey.



At left retiring housemother Mrs. Anne Devening talks things over with her successor, Mrs. Jordan at the reception.



Guests at the dedication reception crowd into the entrance hall.

K A LETTERS O

Editor,

As the father of four daughters I shared the excitement and pride, along with my wife, for the recent initiation of our daughter Susan into the Gamma Zeta chapter at the University of Connecticut.

My wife, Helen, is a past president of the Theta

chapter at Adelphi University.

It has been a long time dream of hers to have one of our daughters become a "Theta Girl," particularly since she would be a legacy.

When your Kappa Alpha Theta magazine came we were as proud as any parents could be to see her picture along with 18 other girls, newly initiated into Gamma Zeta.

What confounds me is how the article could mention 18 girls, show a picture of 18 girls, yet somehow leave my daughter's name out.

Twenty-one years is a long time coming in terms of memorable events. It was a bit disappointing to us not to have her name included with the picture.

Father of Susan Bescher Husband of Helen G. Tiffany Bescher

ED. NOTE: I hereby apologize and take full responsibility for this unfortunate omission. I regret that this memorable event was somewhat marred by incomplete picture identification.

Dear Mrs. Gallup,

I was so pleased to read the article on Mrs. Mattie May Morgan Allen in the Spring 1979 edition of the Kappa Alpha Theta Magazine. I have had the honor of knowing Mrs. Allen for the last 20 years (since I was a child) through her son and granddaughters who live in Vidalia, GA, my hometown. I still look forward to my visits home, especially those during the holidays when I know Mrs. Allen might be visiting also.

What a gracious, lovely and loving lady who deserves all praise and recognition she has ever received, and then some. She is an ideal example of the "Theta Lady." It is indeed a privilege for me to be able to

say we are sisters.

Ellen Warthen, Delta Zeta, Emory '73

Dear Mrs. Gallup,

This is just a short note to let you know that the Theta Magazine is really doing its job. Today I received a rather late Xmas package from my family in Canada. (I am presently finishing a French course at the Sorbonne before I embark on a tour of Europe). One of the most prized gifts in the package was the Autumn edition of the Kappa Alpha Theta Magazine.

This issue made me realize that the Theta ideals and aspirations will always be with us, no matter what part of the world I am living in. Articles such as Marie Fitz's address and The Unfinished Agenda (M. L. Smith) remind us about our original pledges and promises made during the pledge period and at initiation. After college, the Theta Magazine is often the only contact one has with Theta and somehow it seems that all the work of the editor gets lost in the shuffle.

Last year when I was president of Gamma Epsilon at the University of Western Ontario, I had the opportunity to share some Theta times with traveling consultant, Lee Wilder. During one of our many sessions, Lee and I were talking about hopes and aspirations of our fraternity. If I remember correctly, we came up with the conclusion that the goals of nobler womanhood, social, intellectual and moral growth, although unique, were universal for all women, not just Thetas. Yet, I am convinced that the special bonds of sisterhood and occasional reminders such as the Theta Magazine give Thetas an extra incentive to pursue further, those hopes and aspirations that we all have.

Thank you to all the Thetas who make our magazine a reality.

Loyally in Theta,

K. Elizabeth Gildner

Dear Thetas,

How enjoyable and exciting the Spring '79 edition of the Kappa Alpha Theta Magazine was! I read and reread different sections of it, especially "Thetas in Business."

As a married person, parent of our nine month old daughter, PhD student, and Theta volunteer, I plan my life around a balance of family, career and volunteerism.

I am in constant watch for women role models, who also share the same balance of life's activities that I do. It is wonderful to be able to turn to Theta sisters as examples of successful excellence in all three areas of home, career, and volunteerism.

Thanks so much for the personal encouragement which your sharing has provided.

Loyally, Martha R. Huston, Delta Eta

April 4, 1979

Kappa Alpha Theta,

Congratulations on the best cover ever seen on the KAO Magazine. It looks so very much like another magazine, I didn't realize it was ours.

Anyway, I like it and showed it to Judge White for his approval—also to grown children. I am proud to be a 50 year Theta still working for our fraternity.

Loyally in Theta,

Dorothy Hurley White

ED. NOTE: Dorothy White was referring to the Spring 1979 issue. All credit for a great cover goes to Lou Rivera, our cover artist.

Following are excerpts from a letter from Jan Parks Dreiling, Delta Eta, former Chairperson, Oklahoma Governor's Commission on the Status of Women. It was written in response to the comments in "Over the Desktop" Spring 1979 on an (AP) dispatch concerning the projected effect on sororities of the passage of the ERA.

"You were quite correct in stating that Congress has made special exception in the past for fraternities and sororities, but that was in regard to Title IX's mandate that educational opportunities not be denied on the basis of sex. It was never the intent of Title IX to do away with private organizations that make membership distinctions on the basis of sex. Rather, it was its intent to guarantee equal educational opportunity for men and women. Making a special exception for fraternities and sororities after the initial passage of Title IX was simply a matter of clarification."

ED. NOTE: Gaining exemption for fraternities and sororities to the Guidelines for Title IX was not "simply a matter of clarification," nor was it instigated by members of Congress. This legislation was attached as a rider to Bill SJR 40 in the final hours of the 93rd Session after an intensive lobbying effort by the National Panhellenic Conference with an assist by the National Interfraternity Conference. Other college related women's organizations were not so fortunate such as Mortar Board and honoraries which were formerly restricted to women.

Unfortunately the intent of Congress and the application of law do not always coincide. Title IX was just the most recent incident of unforseen side effects of federal legislation. In 1964 it was necessary for the Congress to insert Sec. 104 (6) in Title V of the Civil Rights Act in order to protect the right of voluntary association. Then came the Higher Education Act. It was necessary that this Act be amended to define private organizations as those organizations not receiving any federal assistance. These changes did not originate by members of Congress but were lobbied for by leaders of the fraternity world.

Jan Drieling's letter continues, "The Equal Rights Amendment has nothing to do with private organizations... Its purpose is to eliminate state and federal laws which deny benefits and restrict opportunities on the basis of sex. There are no state or federal laws which provide for or regulate fraternities and sororities, they will not be affected by the ERA."

ED. NOTE: True, the ERA has nothing to do with private organizations, but the unique circumstances of sororities and fraternities being directly associated with colleges and universities and dependent upon this relationship for their existence does place them in a position of vulnerability yet to be determined. The Higher Education Act defines private organizations as those organizations not receiving federal assistance. Every one of our chapters is located on a campus of a college which receives federal aid. Several of our chapter houses are located on university land. Some of our chapters are housed in university dormitories. It has been argued that directly or indirectly any organiza-

tion receiving any benefits from a college or university which receives federal assistance comes under the broad unbrella of federal law in this matter.

In her closing paragraph Jan Dreiling states, "To assert as you did that 'it is the policy of Kappa Alpha Theta not to take a stand for or against any legislation' and then erroneously suggest that ERA does pose a threat is hardly consistent. Indeed, you stated your position quite clearly. I challenge you to document your statement that ERA does pose a threat or retract it."

ED. NOTE: Our membership is entitled to some statement of explanation concerning the widely circulated press release. I hope I have explained that the recognition of sororities as student organizations by colleges and universities places them in a position different from other private organizations and therein lies the threat to our single sex status. A Constitutional amendment would nullify the exclusion granted by Congress which now allows fraternities and sororities to remain single sex organizations. There are plenty of opinions available both from legal scholars and congressmen, and there is no concensus concerning the effect of the ERA on the future single sex status of fraternities and sororities. Phyllis Segal, staff attorney for the National Organization for Women's Legal Defense and Educational Fund said she was "uncertain as to how the court would interpret it." The Fraternity has not taken any stand on the ERA and the explanation of the "pose a threat" phrase is my own, based on evolvement of federal law in the area of rights and private association, and many years of working at all levels of our fraternity.

Dear Jane B. Gallup,

Here I am again— many good things about this issue.
. . . If possible I'd prefer you not to use "ladies" but that may well strike you as unreasonable. *Please*, *please* though, don't refer to our present college members as "girls." I promise you that the best among them will think our magazine retrograde on women's rights if you do. Cheers—

Fauneil Rinn, Alpha Tau 1946

P.S. I'm one of those who "really read" the Magazine, as you can doubtless tell!

ED. NOTE: Haven't tallied use of "ladies" and "girls" lately. Anyone want to help?

Theta Book Nook



Nan Tillson Birmingham, Phi
photo by Carey G. Birmingham

STORE by Nan Tillson Birmingham, Phi, Stanford, G. P. Putnam's and Sons, New York 1978.

The history, sentiment, drama and excitement of America's most outstanding department stores are covered by Nan Tillson Birmingham in her recent book, *STORE*. Written in a fast-paced, warm and witty personal style, the book reflects the author's background as an actress and lecture-circuit personality, as well as her love of her subject.

The American department store, at least one of which now nets over a billion dollars annually, represents not only a "time capsule" of American heritage and culture, but the story of the great stores becomes a personal memoir. With names such as Bullock's Wilshire, Neiman-Marcus, Renaissance Center, Hink's, Goldwater's, Dayton's, Marshall Field & Co., Macy's, B. Altman & Co., Gimbel's, Sak's Fifth Avenue, Bergdorf Goodman, Bloomingdale's, Henri Bendel and Gucci, Nan Birmingham weaves in the names of the family dynasties so closely allied with the business, combining legend and fact.

Some of these family sagas began in the American Southwest and survived hostile Indians, fire, flood and earthquake. The author pays tribute to those "store-keepers" who served their country in foreign and domestic capacities, in Congress and embassy, including two who had "political sidelines": Truman and Goldwater. Others have given, and continue to give generously to support the great museums, galleries, and the arts. She also applauds the accomplishments of women in the field of merchandising, as illustrated by Bernice Fitz-Gibbon of Gimbel's, who earned \$90,000 annually by 1941.

Your Hearing Loss: How to Break the Sound Barrier by Marilyn M. Helleberg, Rho, Nebraska, Nelson Hall 1979.

Any hearing-impaired person who is able to say, "I understood my problem and I know how to help myself!" wins the admiration and approval of veteran speech and hearing therapist Marilyn M. Helleberg, of Kearney State College in Nebraska.

But she acknowledges that it's not easy to reach that stage of acceptance and her guide for the hearinghandicapped adult, is intended to make it easier.

Marilyn Helleberg uses layman's terms and a question and answer format as she tackles not just a single aspect but all phases of hearing loss.

Because of her work and the fact that her husband is hearing impaired, she regards Your Hearing Loss as a "heart-level" book.

Nan Birmingham's personal recollections of her childhood "shopping expeditions," when they were social events, almost rituals, and always thrilling, color some of her delightful accounts of the days when a fine store served its devoted customers with style—the days of "gloves, and hats and behaving like a little lady" with the added fascination of organ concerts, elaborate tea-rooms, and parades.

The department store grew along with America; the buildings became architect-designed palaces with suedelined elevators, sumptuous designer salons, assorted restaurants with famous menu items. Then came the great changes in women's fashions; the "Private Showings"; International Festivals, featuring the products of many countries; campus consultant service; bridal bureaus and registries; grand openings of specially named departments; separate children's sections—all on a scale of elegance and scope undreamed of less than fifty years earlier.

When American business ability merged with elusive French style, still more elegance appeared, fashion began to be taken very seriously, and imported luxuries were introduced with show business expertise. Competition became intense, but still balanced by dedication to traditional management, and the loyal devotion of generations of customers.

The final chapters of STORE cover the New York area from 1823 to 1978 with its magic names; Wanamaker, Macy, Saks, Gimbel, and the Ladies Mile. This is followed by the "ultimate promotions": Blooming-dale's in India, and the staggering success of the Italian label, Gucci.

From this book, the "Store" emerges as having a soul, romance, fun, excitement, as an essential figure of the "tempo of our times."

Nan Tillson Birmingham now lives in suburban New York. Her book is delightful reading (not only for women) and its wit and skill reveal that it was written as a "labor of love by a dedicated shopper."

Jean Cuykendall Saunders, Tau

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The Courage To Care by Marilyn Brown Oden, Abingdon Press, Nashville, 1979.

Marilyn Brown Oden, Alpha Omicron, Oklahoma has written a sensitive book about the commitment to caring.

Using the story of an affluent family and a friend who suffer a serious plane accident in the mountains, as pivotal points for illustration, Marilyn Oden develops what is really a beautiful sermon for our day in her new book about caring.

Sensitive to many problems of our time, she feels that we do not always see important things around us but become bogged down with the accumulation of artificial attitudes. Through the progress of the plane story, she leads her readers to a reevaluation of Christian courage to become ourselves. She helps us to understand both the deficiencies and the opportunities around us.

Speaking of volunteer work, she suggests that what we learn to do joyously and spontaneously will mean more to us than doing for personal satisfaction in the

As a counselor to school children, Marilyn Oden came face to face with the trauma of divorce in our society. Parents suffer, of course, but it is the children of the broken home who may be permanently marked by losing one parent because they love both parents equally. She tells of a little girl who knew that her parents were planning to divorce. The child could not sleep nights because she was afraid that one morning she would wake to find her Daddy gone. In our bruised world we are in grave need of Christ, of the Presence. We are all bound together in our spiritual needs.

"As we experience responsible love, we recognize the difference between legitimate individual needs and excessive self-interest. Each of us can act out the realization that, 'I am not the only one in my immediate church, or world family; everyone else is fully a member also," she says.

It was the young friend in the plane accident who finally dared to venture forth into the snow and cold of the mountain side to seek help for the others.

"It takes courage to care," Marilyn Oden believes. Dorothy Spencer Nelson, Beta Gamma



Sandra Shapard, Alpha Omicron and her youngest daughter Ericka.

NIGHT FLIGHT 35 by Sandra Gales Shapard, Alpha Omicron, Oklahoma, Thane Donovan Publishers, New York 1979

NIGHT FLIGHT 35 is an exciting collection of contemporary poetry by Oklahoma City poet Sandra Gales Shapard.

NIGHT FLIGHT 35 is one woman's feelings upon reaching "the 35 plateau." It is divided into four parts —the first two sections examine the intense and light sides of turning 35. The third and fourth parts include sons ("a boy is not a little man") and daughters ("it's a decade for daughters").

Sandra Shapard's poetry comes from where she is. She is 35, an involved, active woman whose time is shared by other family-three children, Nicole 8, Nathan 5, and Ericka 3, and attorney husband, Edwin, her community and her writing.

NIGHT FLIGHT 35 is funny and warm, yet deep and exciting. It is a book that will give you just enough of a taste to make you crave her future writings.

A verse from NIGHT FLIGHT 35 captures the mood and theme of the whole book.

> feeling good about womanhood I feel the joy of the music autumn's energy is my own; I hear the laughter of children when no one is even home.

I can see the doors slowly opening to sacred ground where I've never stood: I love the sweetness of life's nectar, I'm feeling good about womanhood.

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Challenge and Opportunity by Grand President, Marie Fritz

The question most often asked a Grand President today is, "Are sororities really making a come-back on campus? The answer is a definite, "yes," but it is a qualified "yes." A come-back compared to what? To the late sixties and early seventies when Greek membership dropped substantially, some chapters were lost and others held on by a tenuous thread? Or to the decade of the fifties when every sorority was adding chapters and enlarging houses? Even with the new campuses recently opening to sororities, total new member figures are just beginning to catch up with those of the mid-sixties. The number of chapters is increasing as is the size of those chapters but the increase is not dramatic. The Greek system has not kept up with the increase in the number of students. The percentage of Greeks today on any campus is relatively small compared to 20, 30 or 40 years ago. We are a distinct minority.

Growth Still Possible

There is unlimited opportunity for growth in the future despite the prediction for the '80's of a sizeable decrease in the number of students, men and women, of traditional college age. The challenge will be to successfully communicate the dynamic worth of sorority membership to a larger percentage of women students . . . a challenge that will take the combined efforts of all members, college and alumnæ.

It is curious, in this era of such awareness of women's rights, that so little attention has been given to the part sororities have played and are playing in strengthening the role of women. The most basic function of a sorority is to provide friendship which grows to a lifetime benefit through shared experiences. But membership offers a great deal more. The encouragement of an entire group of sisters who care, who share the same goals and who are willing to support another member's ambitions and help her stretch herself to her fullest potential is available nowhere else on a college campus.

This is not something new that came in with the women's movement. It has always been a part of the appeal of Kappa Alpha Theta to women who perceive its worth.

What is dramatic about our alleged "come-back" is the evolution in programming and services within the fraternity to meet the needs of today's member. Theta's purposes have not changed. What has changed is that so many members are only now recognizing the scope of these purposes.

Leadership Stressed

Leadership development is accentuated in all fraternity programs. Holding an office in a college chapter teaches almost professional management skills, as does presiding over an alumnæ chapter of several hundred active members. The words "motivation," "goal setting," objectives," "implementation," . . . and "group interaction"; "resource utilization," "interpersonal relationships," "values clarification," and "positive reinforcement" have become part of the everyday vocabulary of a sorority offering the opportunity to its members to learn and practice the leadership skills demanded of them in today's world.

Sorority women have always been leaders in their communities. Theta alumnæ of 1979 are not only serving their communities in every possible volunteer category but are also taking their places in the business and political world, thus making use of the leadership experience of the collegiate years. That they recognize the gift of this experience from their sorority is evident in the number who juggle their busy schedules to remain involved with a college chapter and with each other in alumnæ groups. The challenge to each alumna is to join this growing number, to pass on to her younger sister the vision and vitality she has gained from her Theta experience. Only then will the continuity be provided that is so necessary to the future of Kappa Alpha Theta.

During what has become known as the "bad times," leadership on campus was lost in many instances by sorority members turning into themselves in reaction to negative campus attitudes towards anything even faintly resembling establishment organizations. The challenge to collegiate Greeks is to recapture that campus leadership. The time is now, not only for the image of responsibility it portrays for Greeks as a whole—one which counteracts the shallow portrayal given by the media, but as a service to the campus community and as another outlet for the talents of sorority members.

Throughout the history of the fraternity system there have always been challenges to be met. That the system has survived and prospered since its beginning at the College of William and Mary over 200 years ago is proof of its value. The challenges facing us today and tomorrow will also be met so long as members continue to have pride in Theta's heritage, loyalty to her ideals and a determination to further her purposes.



Theta Concern







Debbie Mitchell, Beta Sigma



Meg Niemeyer, Alpha Omicron Lisa Sanservino, Delta Epsilon



FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES FOUNDERS' AWARDS

The first announcement of the Founders' Memorial Scholars was made in June at the 1979 Leadership Conference in Denver, Colorado. These outstanding Thetas were chosen from the District winners and each has received a \$1200 scholarship and a 14K gold Foundation charm engraved with the name of the founder she most personifies. Each district winner received a certificate and those not named a Founders' Memorial Scholar were mailed a check for \$100. The Undergraduate Scholarship Committee was chaired by Jean Melnick Buckmaster, Gamma Upsilon, Vice-President of the Foundation, whose committee deliberated many hours in order to select four scholars from the excellent district applicants.

Meg Niemever—Bettie Locke Hamilton Scholar. President of Alpha Omicron chapter at the University of Oklahoma, Meg is a junior majoring in petroleum engineering with a 3.6 GPA. Meg has overcome a serious illness and maintained her striving for personal and Theta achievements. Dean of the College of Engineering wrote, "The Founders' Memorial Scholarship recognizes scholastic commitment and achievement, character and personal strength, social commitment and concern for others. Meg has demonstrated all these qualities in efforts and achievements that speak much more eloquently than anything I can add."

Jane Klewin—Hanna Fitch Shaw Scholar. President of Psi chapter, Wisconsin, Jane is a junior majoring in political science and communication arts with a 3.86 GPA. She is a member of Mortar Board, Phi Kappa Phi and Crucible. A professor describes Jane as "an outstanding student, one of the best I have had in recent years." An adviser says "Jane has surfaced as a leader during a period of great challenge in her chapDebbie Mitchell-Bettie Tipton Lindsey Scholar. A junior member of Beta Sigma chapter at Southern Methodist, Debbie is majoring in journalism and Spanish and has achieved a 4.0 GPA. She is her chapter's Panhellenic delegate and a member of Sigma Delta Chi, Alpha Lambda Delta, Phi Eta Sigma, Student Foundation and Women in Communications, Inc.

An advisor says, "Debbie's willingness to come to the aid of her sisters is a trait I'd like to bottle." A professor describes her as, "One of the finest Greek representatives, precisely because she has broken through all stereotypes."

Lisa Sanservino-Alice Allen Brant Scholar. President of Delta Epsilon chapter at Arizona State, Lisa is a junior in business administration/marketing with a 3.63 GPA. Lisa has served her chapter as a vice-president -efficiency, and is a member of Mortar Board and Blue Key Devil's Advocates. A professor wrote, "She displays excellent leadership skills always receiving an above average amount of audience attention, cooperation and participation."

Sharon Cirese Gassett Memorial



Michelle A. Trahan

This Educational Trust Fund Scholarship established in memory of a former member of Grand Council will be awarded annually to a Theta who has served the fraternity as a traveling consultant or a resident counselor. The first recipient-Michelle A. Trahan was initiated at Lambda and affiliated with Beta Lambda. She received her B.A. degree in art history in 1971 from the College of William and Mary and an M.A. in counseling in 1974 from Wake Forest University. She is now enrolled in the MBA program at the University of Maryland.

As a undergraduate Michelle was Panhellenic president, member of Mortar Board and "Outstanding Senior Woman." She was a traveling consultant during 1971-72 and assisted with the colonization of Delta Phi chapter at Clemson University.

She is now College District President of District XVII and a member of the Northern Virginia Alumnæ Chapter. Michelle feels that an MBA combined with her M.A. in counseling will provide an excellent foundation for a career in Staff Development and Training. Her personal goal is to introduce more humanism into the role of the supervisor/decision-maker.

FOUNDERS' MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP **DISTRICT WINNERS 1979-80**

Dist. I. Melanie Swinford-Delta Sigma, Ball State

Dist. II. Jane Klewin-Psi, Wisconsin

Dist. III. Kim Murphy—Eta, Michigan

Dist. IV. Meg Niemeyer-Alpha Omicron, Oklahoma

Dist. V. Donna Berard-Lambda, Vermont

Dist. VII. Lisa Sanservino-Delta Epsilon, Ariz. St.

Dist. VIII. Sue Wirth-Rho, Nebraska

Dist. IX. Melissa Meredith—Beta Mu, Nevada

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Dist. XV. Leslie Jones-Beta Chi, Alberta

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Dist. XVII. Mary-Lynn Brown-Beta Rho, Duke

Dist. XVIII. Jean Conner—Gamma Delta, Georgia

EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

CAROL GREEN WILSON SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior in the field of creative writing)—Paula Burkes, Beta Zeta, Oklahoma State. She is a sophomore majoring in journalism-news editorial with a near 4.0 GPA.

FLORENCE BENNER WYLIE SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior member of any Indiana chapter)-Melanie Swinford, Delta Sigma, Ball State. She is standards and fraternity education chairman. A member of Mortar Board, majoring in Spanish and English.

HELEN ARMOR TYSON-FRANCES LANNING-BETA ETA SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior member of any chapter, resident of Pennsylvania)-Donna Ahlum, Alpha Omega, Pittsburgh, of Allentown. She is a junior, president of her chapter and is majoring in physical education, health and recreation.

HARRIET FOWLER BROWN-KANSAS CITY ALUM-NAE SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior in Missouri or Kansas chapters, or greater Kansas City area residents who are members of any chapter)-Janine Trempy, Delta Eta, Kansas State, a junior majoring in microbiology and pre-veterinary. Debbie Des Marteau, Alpha Upsilon, Washburn, a sophomore majoring in business. She is very involved in gymnastics and is active in her chapter.

OPAL MARSHAL McCELVEY SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior member of Alpha Theta chapter, Texas) -Mary Ellen Shelton, a junior majoring in finance and real estate. She is an active participant in our largest chapter and is "an inspiration to others."

ST. LOUIS ALUMNAE CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior from the greater St. Louis area)— Carol Ann Saunders of St. Louis, Alpha Chi, Purdue, a junior in chemical engineering with a 5.91 on a 6.0 grading system. She was recently named "Purdue's Most Outstanding Junior in Engineering."

ARTYE BESSEMYER WELCH SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior member of Beta Xi chapter, UCLA)-Lisa Mengel, a junior majoring in design and serving as standards chairman of her chapter. Plans to become a women's fashion designer.

INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNAE CHAPTER SCHOLAR-SHIP (sophomore or junior from the greater Indianapolis area) - Carie Phillips, Alpha, DePauw, a sophomore majoring in math-economics and computers with a 3.8 GPA. She is chapter treasurer and a rush counselor.

ELLEN BOWERS HOFSTEAD SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior in any chapter who has demonstrated the true meaning of Panhellenic spirit in some capacity)-Kara Lee Hunnicut, Gamma Tau, Tulsa, chapter Panhellenic delegate. Her Dean said, "Her appearance, scholarship and personality combine to produce one of this university's outstanding young people."

ALICE WILKEY POYNTER SCHOLARSHIP (sophomore or junior member of Alpha chapter, DePauw)-Melissa Young, communications/political science. She has been treasurer of her chapter. ". . . has taken every advantage of opportunities to see and understand all that came within her range."







Ellen Meyer,



Sally Fitterer, Alpha Sigma



Marsha Huston, Delta Eta



Bonnie Reid. Alpha Mu



Patricia Gahagan, Susan Seybold, Beta Pi Alpha Theta

1979-80 Graduate Scholars Named

The Graduate Scholarship Committee is chaired by Foundation Trustee Mary Bell Backlund, Beta Theta. Her committee members, all from the Honolulu Alumnæ Club are Jeannine Hoyt Bendix, Alpha Sigma; Jean Swickard Hoffman, Beta Tau; Lorene Tyler Runyan, Beta Gamma; Dr. Judy Meyer Dennis, Tau.

Patricia Easley Gahagan, Beta Pi, Michigan holds the scholarship named for Louise Johnson Miller and Jean Johnson Smith. She received a degree in Home Management and Child Development in 1944. Twelve years ago she was widowed and returned to teaching to support her seven children. A second marriage ended in divorce and she finds herself in need of a Masters in Family and Child Development to re-enter her field. An active Theta alumna, Pat is secretary of the Beta Pi Corporation. Writing and speaking in the realm of the family is her goal. From the position of displaced homemaker and professional she wants to become knowledgeable and productive.

Bonnie Lovrenic Reid-Alpha Mu, Missouri is the winner of the Katherine McCullough Leicht Memorial Scholarship. She is working toward a Ph.D. in Educational Policy-Making and Administration at Washington University. Bonnie has been listed in Outstanding Leaders in Elementary and Secondary Education. She serves on the Governor's Conference on Education and has been president of the Greater St. Louis Teachers Ass'n. Since she has compiled a collective bargaining law for teachers which was filed with the Missouri legislature, her graduate work will be useful to all educators and should influence state legislatures, Congress and the courts.

Mary Ellen Meyer—Tau, Northwestern is the recipient of a scholarship named for Shirley Shields Smith. She is enrolled in the doctoral program in Language and Learning Disabilities at the University of Colorado. She has worked three years as a speech and language specialist and her objective in returning to school is to integrate her knowledge and experience in the field of language pathology.

Laura Anderson-Delta Psi, Cal-Riverside was named the Norma Anderson Jorgensen scholar. She is a first year medical student at UCLA. Laura initiated the Delta Psi service project of working with and providing social functions for the psychologically handicapped children, patients in the county hospital. She hopes to use her M.D. degree in child psychiatry. Her adviser says, "A scholarship awarded to Laura would not only reflect upon Theta but would also benefit all of society by Laura's contribution to mankind."

Sally Aitken Fitterer—Alpha Sigma, Washington State is a first year medical student at the University of Washington. Her scholarship is named for Mary Forrest Brandriff. She has an outstanding scholastic and activity record as an undergraduate. She has worked as a swimming instructor for handicapped children and a reader for blind students. Her graduate student husband Bruce plans to attend medical school and Sally states that both she and her husband working and attending medical school is in many ways, "The Impossible Dream."

Marsha Rusbarsky Huston-Delta Eta, Kansas State is now working on a Ph.D. in Family Economics. She was awarded the Wilma Trost Shattuck Scholarship. She is rush adviser of Delta Eta and listed in Outstanding Young Women of America in 1975 as a graduate involved with Career Life Planning workshops and leadership training facilitator. Her degree will prepare her for university teaching and extension work in the area of family economics and consumer interest.

Susan Virginia Seybold—Alpha Theta, Texas, a Mary Hamilton Ackerman Scholar, has a Master's of Public Health and is completing her second year in dental school at the University of Texas. She ranks in the top ten of her class and plans to specialize in pedodontics. Her long range goal is "to acquire knowledge and understanding of my field throughout my lifetime with a concomitant developing of the skills that allow me to excel in my profession."

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